

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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| 1. DATE <u>13 Aug 59</u> | 2. LOCATION <u>Dayton, Ohio</u> | 12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown |
| 3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local <u>1950 & 1930</u> GMT <u>14/0030Z & 0050Z</u> | 4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <u>XII Ground-Visual</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar | |
| 5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | 6. SOURCE <u>Civilian</u> | |
| 7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <u>10-15 mins</u> | 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS <u>1</u> | 9. COURSE <u>West</u> |
| 10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Rnd, silvery light obj, size of grapefruit, seemed to be revolving, had indefinite outline. Obj disappeared by "blinking out." | | 11. COMMENTS Two of the witnesses stated the obj was similar to a weather balloon. The direction of obj fm observers was N and NW. The US Weather Bureau at Sulfer Grove, N of Dayton, released a balloon at 1830 hrs. Balloon stayed above the station after release. This balloon is probably cause for this sighting. |

of the questions seemed to antagonize
Mrs. [REDACTED] as though I were
questioning the veracity of their
report. Mrs. [REDACTED] inquired
as to the proper procedure for
reporting any future sightings. I
told her to do just as she
had this time. Both Mr. and
Mrs. [REDACTED] seemed very sincere
and they both sounded sane and
sober.

[REDACTED]

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1. When did you see the object?

13 ACG
Day Month

2. Time of day: 1950
Hour Minutes

(Circle One): A.M. or P.M.

3. Time zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern
b. Central
c. Mountain
d. Pacific
e. Other _____

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

Nearest Postal Address DAYTON OHIO
City or Town State or Country

Additional remarks: _____

5. Estimate how long you saw the object. 10-15 Hours Minutes Seconds

5.1 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 5.

a. Certain
b. Fairly certain
c. Not very sure
d. Just a guess

6. What was the condition of the sky?

(Circle One): a. Bright daylight
b. Dull daylight
c. Bright twilight
d. Just a trace of daylight
e. No trace of daylight
f. Don't remember

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, TWILIGHT, or DAWN, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One):

- a. In front of you
- b. In back of you
- c. To your right
- d. To your left
- e. Overhead
- f. Don't remember

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, TWILIGHT, or DAWN, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight — pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. Was the object brighter than the background of the sky?

(Circle One):

a. Yes

b. No

c. Don't remember

10. IF it was BRIGHTER THAN the sky background, was the brightness like that of an automobile headlight?:

(Circle One) a. A mile or more away (a distant car)?

b. Several blocks away?

c. A block away?

d. Several yards away?

e. Other

11. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

| | | | |
|---|-----|----|------------|
| a. Appear to stand still at any time? | Yes | No | Don't Know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? | Yes | No | Don't Know |
| c. Break up into parts or explode? | Yes | No | Don't Know |
| d. Give off smoke? | Yes | No | Don't Know |
| e. Change brightness? | Yes | No | Don't Know |
| f. Change shape? | Yes | No | Don't Know |
| g. Flicker, throb, or pulsate? | Yes | No | Don't Know |

12. Did the object move behind something at anytime, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes No Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind: _____

13. Did the object move in front of something at anytime, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes No Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved in front of: _____

14. Did the object appear: (Circle One): Solid? b. Transparent? c. Don't Know.

15. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

| | | | | | |
|-----------------|-----|----|---------------|-------|-------|
| a. Eyeglasses | Yes | No | e. Binoculars | Yes | No |
| b. Sun glasses | Yes | No | f. Telescope | Yes | No |
| c. Windshield | Yes | No | g. Theodolite | Yes | No |
| d. Window glass | Yes | No | h. Other | _____ | _____ |

16. Tell in a few words the following things about the object.

a. Sound qui sound

b. Color silvery light

17. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails. Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.

APPEARED "ROUND"

18. The edges of the object were:

(Circle One): a. Fuzzy or blurred
b. Like a bright star
c. Sharply outlined
d. Don't remember

a. Other shape was very
less for words in
descriptive words

19. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? one one.
Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

20. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.

CONSTANT DIRECTION

21. IF POSSIBLE, try to guess or estimate what the real size of the object was in its longest dimension.
feet. UNKNOWN

22. How large did the object or objects appear as compared with one of the following objects held in the hand and at about arm's length?

(Circle One):

- a. Head of a pin
- b. Pea
- c. Dime
- d. Nickel
- e. Quarter
- f. Half dollar
- g. Silver dollar
- h. Baseball
- i. Grapefruit "3 to 4 inches,"
- j. Basketball
- k. Other _____

22.1 (Circle One of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 22.

- a. Certain
- b. Fairly certain
- c. Not very sure
- d. Uncertain

23. How did the object or objects disappear from view? "Blinded Out"

24. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, we would like for you to imagine that you could construct the object that you saw. Of what type material would you make it? How large would it be, and what shape would it have? Describe in your own words a common object or objects which when placed up in the sky would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

Source could only say that it appeared to be revolving.

25. Where were you located when you saw the object? (Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. Outdoors
- d. In an airplane
- e. At sea
- f. Other _____

26. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- c. In open countryside?
- d. Flying near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other _____

27. What were you doing at the time you saw the object, and how did you happen to notice it?

Saw me was sitting in back yard
Looked up and saw it move.
Called attention to other people.

28. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

28.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

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28.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

28.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

29. What direction were you looking when you first saw the object? (Circle One)

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

h. Northwest

30. What direction were you looking when you last saw the object? (Circle One)

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

g. West

31. If you are familiar with bearing terms (angular direction), try to estimate the number of degrees the object was from true North and also the number of degrees it was upward from the horizon (elevation).

31.1 When it first appeared:

- a. From true North 0° N 12' degrees.
- b. From horizon 95° degrees.

31.2 When it disappeared:

- a. From true North 0° N 12' degrees.
- b. From horizon 45° degrees.

34. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

34.1 CLOUDS (Circle One)

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds
- e. Don't remember

34.2 WIND (Circle One)

- a. No wind
- b. Slight breeze
- c. Strong wind
- d. Don't remember

34.3 WEATHER (Circle One)

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

34.4 TEMPERATURE (Circle One)

- a. Cold
- b. Cool
- c. Warm
- d. Hot
- e. Don't remember

35. When did you report to some official that you had seen the object?

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(Immediately after
sighting)

36. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

NRS

36.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One) Yes No

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36.2 Please list their names and addresses:

(Son-in's son
also gave info
over the phone.
Same as mother's)

37. Was this the first time that you had seen an object or objects like this?

(Circle One) Yes No

37.1 IF you answered NO, then when, where, and under what circumstances did you see other ones?

Saw one 3 yrs ago - after dark
appeared like a child's plastic wading pool
Filed telephone report with ATC at
that time.

38. In your opinion what do you think the object was and what might have caused it?

Mr. [REDACTED] repeatedly claimed that
object was similar to weather balloon
He claimed it seemed to sway from left
to right as if involved or "tumbled"

39. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? _____ m.p.h.

40. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? _____ feet.

41. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME _____
Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Name _____

ADDRESS _____
Street _____ Zone _____ State _____ OHIO

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

What is your present job? MRS. COMMUNICATIONS WPAFB
CHRYSLER AIRTEMP

Age 30 Sex MALE

Please indicate any special educational training that you have had.

a. Grade school _____

b. High school

c. College _____

d. Post graduate _____

e. e. Technical school _____

(Type) _____

f. Other special training _____

42. Date you completed this questionnaire:

13 Day Aug Month 59 Year

U. S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET
(SUMMARY DATA)

In order that your information may be filed and coded as accurately as possible, please use the following space to write out a short description of the event that you observed. You may repeat information that you have already given in the questionnaire, and add any further comments, statements, or sketches that you believe are important. Try to present the details of the observation in the order in which they occurred. Additional pages of the same size paper may be attached if they are needed.

NAME _____
(Please Print)

(Do Not Write in This Space)

CODE:

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

Staff Duty Officer received the report by telephone immediately after the sighting. I spoke with both Mrs. [REDACTED] and her son Mr. [REDACTED]. Both parties seemed to be sincere in their report. Both sounded sane and sober.

I immediately after accepting their report I call all the agencies listed in the SDO Instruction, from them I received negative reports with the exception of the US Weather Service at Sulphur Grove. They reported releasing a weather balloon at 1830 hrs.

stated that it floated straight above their station for 55 minutes before they lost track of it. Claimed it rose to an altitude of approx. 2300 meters. Although they lost track of it they expected it back down at 2000 hrs.

The 56 ob F15 and WADC Flight Test did not answer their phones when I called.



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1. When did you see the object?

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2. Time of day: 1930 Hour Minutes

(Circle One): A.M. or P.M.

3. Time zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern
 b. Central
 c. Mountain
 d. Pacific
 e. Other _____

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving
 b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[REDACTED]
 Nearest Postal Address

DAYTON 9 City or Town OHIO State or Country

Additional remarks: Sitting in front yard of
residence

5. Estimate how long you saw the object.

Hours 15 Minutes Seconds

5.1 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 5.

a. Certain
 b. Fairly certain
 c. Not very sure
 d. Just a guess

6. What was the condition of the sky?

(Circle One): a. Bright daylight
 b. Dull daylight
 c. Bright twilight

d. Just a trace of daylight
 e. No trace of daylight
 f. Don't remember

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, TWILIGHT, or DAWN, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you
 b. In back of you
 c. To your right

d. To your left
 e. Overhead
 f. Don't remember

SUN HAD SET

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| 1. DATE 30 Aug 59 | 2. LOCATION Dayton, Ohio | 12. CONCLUSIONS | | |
| 3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 30/2330Z | 4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown | | |
| 5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | 6. SOURCE Civilian | | | |
| 7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 20 mins | 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1 | 9. COURSE SE | | |
| 10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Rnd silvery obj observed to drift SE over city of Dayton. | | 11. COMMENTS Balloon released at 2325Z. Flight path corresponds to that taken by balloon. | | |

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

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1. When did you see the object?

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Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 18 30
Hour Minutes

(Circle One): A.M. or P.M.

3. Time zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern
b. Central
c. Mountain
d. Pacific
e. Other _____

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[REDACTED]
Nearest Postal Address

Dayton

City or Town

Ohio

State or Country

Additional remarks: _____

5. Estimate how long you saw the object.

20 Hours 0 Minutes 0 Seconds

5.1 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 5.

a. Certain
b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure
d. Just a guess

6. What was the condition of the sky?

(Circle One): a. Bright daylight
b. Dull daylight
c. Bright twilight

d. Just a trace of daylight
e. No trace of daylight
f. Don't remember

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, TWILIGHT, or DAWN, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you
b. In back of you
c. To your right

d. To your left
e. Overhead
f. Don't remember

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, TWILIGHT, or DAWN, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight — pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. Was the object brighter than the background of the sky?

(Circle One):

Yes

b. No

c. Don't remember

10. IF it was BRIGHTER THAN the sky background, was the brightness like that of an automobile headlight?:

(Circle One) a. A mile or more away (a distant car)?

- b. Several blocks away?
- c. A block away?
- d. Several yards away?
- e. Other

11. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- a. Appear to stand still at any time?
- b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?
- c. Break up into parts or explode?
- d. Give off smoke?
- e. Change brightness?
- f. Change shape?
- g. Flicker, throb, or pulsate?

| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | <input type="radio"/> No | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> | Don't Know |
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> | Don't Know |
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> | Don't Know |
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> | Don't Know |
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> | Don't Know |
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> | Don't Know |
| Yes | <input type="radio"/> | Don't Know |

12. Did the object move behind something at anytime, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved behind:

13. Did the object move in front of something at anytime, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved in front of:

14. Did the object appear: (Circle One):

a. Solid?

b. Transparent?

c. Don't Know.

15. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- a. Eyeglasses Yes
- b. Sun glasses Yes
- c. Windshield Yes
- d. Window glass Yes

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No |
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- e. Binoculars Yes
- f. Telescope Yes
- g. Theodolite Yes
- h. Other _____

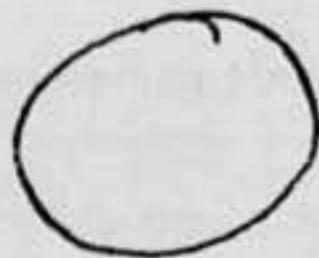
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|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No |
| <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> |
| <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> |

16. Tell in a few words the following things about the object.

a. Sound NONC

b. Color SILVERY

17. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails. Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.



18. The edges of the object were:

(Circle One): a. Fuzzy or blurred
b. Like a bright star
c. Sharply outlined
d. Don't remember

e. Other _____

19. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? _____.

Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

Only ONE

20. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.

MOVING S.E.

LEFT TO RIGHT

21. IF POSSIBLE, try to guess or estimate what the real size of the object was in its longest dimension.
50 feet.

22. How large did the object or objects appear as compared with one of the following objects held in the hand and at about arm's length?

(Circle One):

| | |
|------------------|------------------|
| a. Head of a pin | g. Silver dollar |
| b. Pea | h. Baseball |
| c. Dime | i. Grapefruit |
| d. Nickel | j. Basketball |
| e. Quarter | k. Other _____ |
| f. Half dollar | |

22.1 (Circle One of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 22.

| | |
|-------------------|------------------|
| a. Certain | c. Not very sure |
| b. Fairly certain | d. Uncertain |

23. How did the object or objects disappear from view? WENT BEHIND
TREES

24. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, we would like for you to imagine that you could construct the object that you saw. Of what type material would you make it? How large would it be, and what shape would it have? Describe in your own words a common object or objects which when placed up in the sky would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

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 LiKE A lUMiNOn

25. Where were you located when you saw the object?
(Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. **Outdoors**
- d. In an airplane
- e. At sea
- f. Other _____

26. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- c. In open countryside?
- d. Flying near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other _____

27. What were you doing at the time you saw the object, and how did you happen to notice it?

BARBACOUF Just happened to
see it Heard a jet and
Looked up An saw it

28. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

28.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

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a. North c. East e. South g. West
b. Northeast d. Southeast f. Southwest h. Northwest

28.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

28.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

29. What direction were you looking when you first saw the object? (Circle One)

- a. North
- b. Northeast
- c. East
- d. Southeast
- e. South
- f. Southwest
- g. West
- h. Northwest

30. What direction were you looking when you last saw the object? (Circle One)

31. If you are familiar with bearing terms (angular direction), try to estimate the number of degrees the object was from true North and also the number of degrees it was upward from the horizon (elevation).

31.1 When it first appeared:

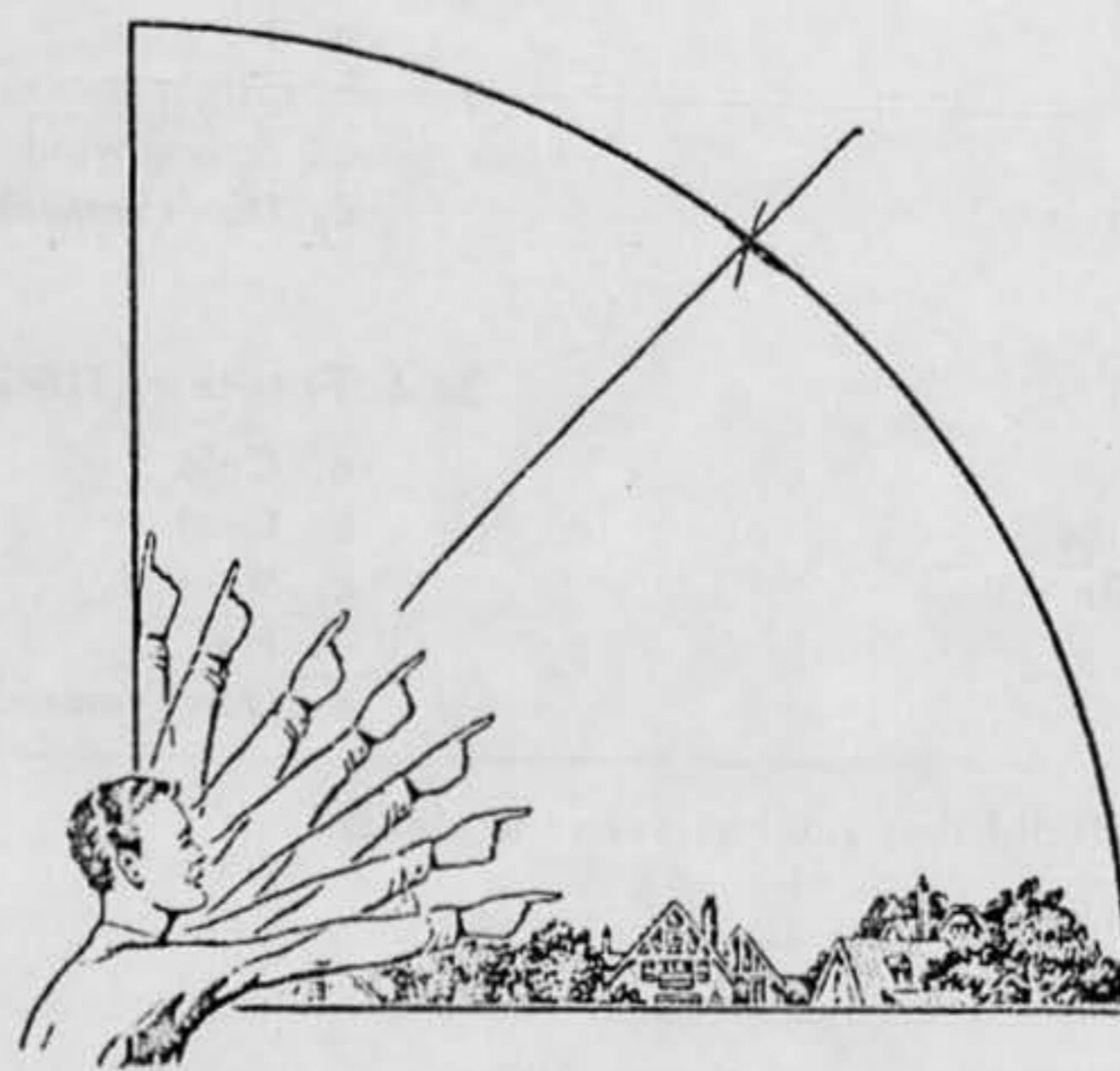
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a. From true North _____ degrees.
 b. From horizon _____ degrees.

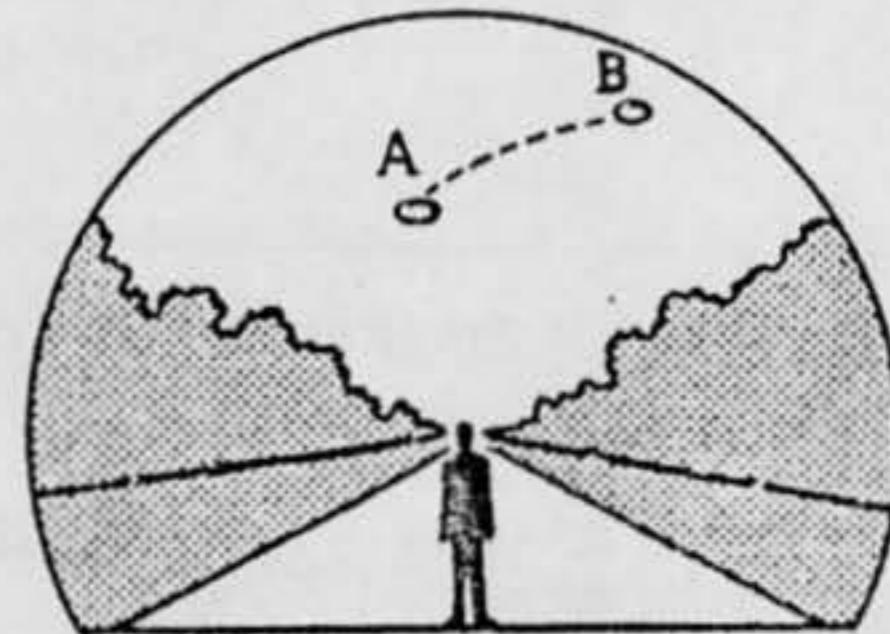
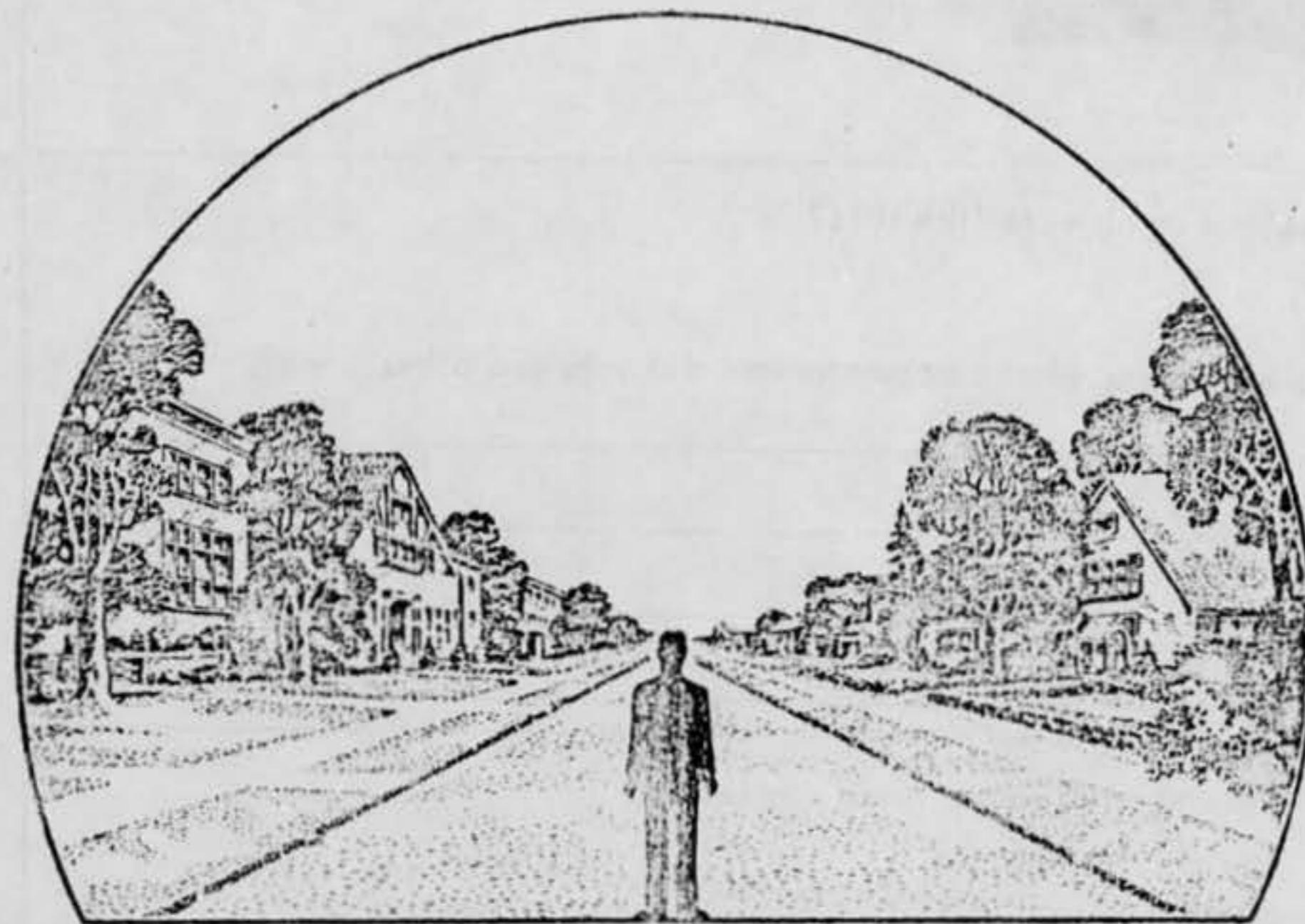
31.2 When it disappeared:

a. From true North _____ degrees.
 b. From horizon _____ degrees.

32. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the *same* curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw it.



33. In the following larger sketch place an "A" at the position the object was when you *first* saw it, and a "B" at its position when you *last* saw it. Refer to smaller sketch as an example of how to complete the larger sketch.



34. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

34.1 CLOUDS (Circle One)

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds
- e. Don't remember

34.2 WIND (Circle One)

- a. No wind
- b. Slight breeze
- c. Strong wind
- d. Don't remember

34.3 WEATHER (Circle One)

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

34.4 TEMPERATURE (Circle One)

- a. Cold
- b. Cool
- c. Warm
- d. Hot
- e. Don't remember

35. When did you report to some official that you had seen the object?

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36. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

36.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One) Yes No

36.2 Please list their names and addresses

MRS [REDACTED]

MAR & MRS [REDACTED]

37. Was this the first time that you had seen an object or objects like this?

(Circle One) Yes No

37.1 IF you answered NO, then when, where, and under what circumstances did you see other ones?

38. In your opinion what do you think the object was and what might have caused it?

No N.C.

39. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? 1000 m.p.h.

40. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? _____ feet.

41. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME _____
Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Name _____

ADDRESS _____
Street _____ City _____ Zone _____ State O H I O

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

What is your present job? _____

Age 31 Sex M / F

Please indicate any special educational training that you have had.

| | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| a. Grade school <u>X</u> | e. e. Technical school _____ |
| b. High school _____ | (Type) _____ |
| c. College _____ | f. Other special training _____ |
| d. Post graduate _____ | _____ |

42. Date you completed this questionnaire:

Day _____ Month _____ Year _____

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NAME _____
(Please Print)

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CODE:

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

Report phoned in

Checked 1) PATTERSON AFB-OPS NORR AIRPORT

2) WRIGHT AFB OPS T-345 1830

Cessna 1828

T-29 1820

ABOVE AFTR LANDED ~~RELEAS~~

AT TIMES GREEN MAY

HAVE BEEN IN AREA

3) FIT SERVIES

NUMEROUS ACFT IN AREA

4) 56 FIS NO ANSWER

WX STATION

RELEASED ^{041100Z} ABOUT 1825

DRIFTED WEST THEN S.E.

QUITE PROBABLY OVER DAYTON

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, TWILIGHT, or DAWN, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight — pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. Was the object brighter than the background of the sky?

(Circle One):

a. Yes

b. No

c. Don't remember

10. IF it was BRIGHTER THAN the sky background, was the brightness like that of an automobile headlight?:

(Circle One) a. A mile or more away (a distant car)?

b. Several blocks away?

c. A block away?

d. Several yards away?

e. Other

11. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

a. Appear to stand still at any time?

Yes

No

Don't Know

b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?

Yes

No

Don't Know

c. Break up into parts or explode?

Yes

No

Don't Know

d. Give off smoke?

Yes

No

Don't Know

e. Change brightness?

Yes

No

Don't Know

f. Change shape?

Yes

No

Don't Know

g. Flicker, throb, or pulsate?

Yes

No

Don't Know

12. Did the object move behind something at anytime, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved behind:

13. Did the object move in front of something at anytime, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved in front of:

14. Did the object appear: (Circle One):

a. Solid?

b. Transparent?

c. Don't Know.

15. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

a. Eyeglasses

Yes

No

e. Binoculars

Yes

No

b. Sun glasses

Yes

No

f. Telescope

Yes

No

c. Windshield

Yes

No

g. Theodolite

Yes

No

d. Window glass

Yes

No

h. Other

SEPTEMBER 1959 SIGHTINGS

| <u>DATE</u> | <u>LOCATION</u> | <u>OBSERVER</u> | <u>EVALUATION</u> |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Mid | Toledo, Ohio | [REDACTED] (PHOTO) | Other (FILM FLAW) |
| 1 | 10 Mi S of Monterey, California | Military | Aircraft |
| 3 | Trotwood, Ohio | [REDACTED] | Aircraft |
| 5 | Naha, Okinawa | Military | Astro (METEOR) |
| 5 | Malden, Missouri | Multi | Astro (STARS/PLANETS) |
| 7 | Wallingford, Kentucky | [REDACTED] (Photo) | Other (HOAX) |
| 7 | Lexington, Kentucky | [REDACTED] | Insufficient Data |
| 7 | Ottawa, Ohio | [REDACTED] | Astro (CAPELLA) |
| 7 | Pacific S of Aleutian Isle | Military | Astro (METEOR) |
| 9 | Miami, Florida | [REDACTED] | Other (MISSILE) |
| 10 | Camp Kinaser, Okinawa | Military | Astro (METEOR) |
| 10 | Vicinity Wake Island | Military (PHOTO) | Astro (METEOR/CONTRAIL) |
| 10 | Kettering, Ohio | [REDACTED] | Aircraft |
| 13 | Gills Rock, Wisconsin | [REDACTED] | UNIDENTIFIED |
| 13 | Bunker Hill AFB, Indiana | Military | UNIDENTIFIED |
| 13-15 | Detroit, Michigan | [REDACTED] | Insufficient Data |
| 13-27 | Ripley, West Virginia | [REDACTED] | Insufficient Data |
| 14 | Maple Heights, Ohio | [REDACTED] | Other (REFLECTION) |
| 14 | Philadelphia, Pennsylvania | [REDACTED] | Astro (ALTAIR) |
| 15 | Okinawa | Military (RADAR) | Other (WEATHER) |
| 15 | Frick Park, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania | (PHYSICAL S) | Other (HOAX) |
| 15 | Azores | Military (Photo) ↑ | Astro (METEOR) |
| 17 | Jamaica, Long Island, New York | [REDACTED] | Insufficient Data |
| 20 | Rutland, Vermont | [REDACTED] | Insufficient Data |
| 21 | Naha, Okinawa | Military | Astro (METEOR) |
| 21 | Larson AFB, Washington | Military | Astro (REGULUS) |
| 22 | South Charleston, West Virginia | [REDACTED] | Astro (METEOR) |
| 22 | E of Goose Bay, Labrador | Pan Am Airlines | Insufficient Data |
| 22 | 8 Mi E of St George, Utah | [REDACTED] | Aircraft |
| 24 | Redmond, Oregon (In Separate Folder) | Multi | Astro (VENUS) |
| 24 | North Carolina - Virginia | Multi | Astro (METEOR) |
| 25 | Burlington, Proctor, Vermont | Military | Balloon |
| 25 | Adams, Washington | [REDACTED] | Aircraft |
| 27 | San Jose, California | [REDACTED] | Insufficient Data |
| 27 | Woodlawn, Ohio | [REDACTED] | Astro (PLANET) |
| 27 | Springfield, Fayetteville, Ohio | Multi | Astro (METEOR) |
| 28 | Carrolton, Ohio | [REDACTED] | Astro (METEOR) |
| 29 | Scotland | Military | Aircraft |
| 30 | W Coast of Florida | Coast Guard | Other (FLARE) |
| 30 | Camp Pendleton, California | Military | Astro (METEOR) |

ADDITIONAL REPORTED SIGHTINGS (NOT CASES)

| <u>DATE</u> | <u>LOCATION</u> | <u>SOURCE</u> | <u>EVALUATION</u> |
|-------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | Flagstaff, Arizona | Science News Ltr | |
| 29 | Buffalo, Texas | Newsclipping | |

16. Tell in a few words the following things about the object.

a. Sound No sound

b. Color Looked like a bright star

17. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails. Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.

APPEARED "Round"

18. The edges of the object were:

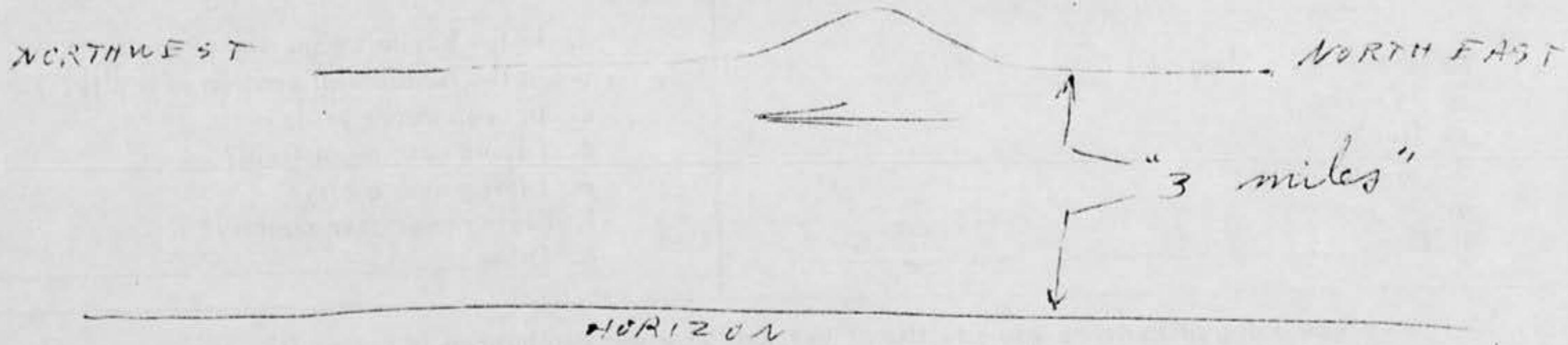
(Circle One): a. Fuzzy or blurred
b. Like a bright star
c. Sharply outlined
d. Don't remember

e. Other outline INDEFINITE

19. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? ONLY ONE.

Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

20. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.



21. IF POSSIBLE, try to guess or estimate what the real size of the object was in its longest dimension.
1 UK feet.

22. How large did the object or objects appear as compared with one of the following objects held in the hand and at about arm's length?

(Circle One):

- a. Head of a pin
- b. Pea
- c. Dime
- d. Nickel
- e. Quarter
- f. Half dollar
- g. Silver dollar
- h. Baseball
- i. Grapefruit
- j. Basketball
- k. Other _____

22.1 (Circle One of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 22.

- a. Certain _____
- b. Fairly certain
- c. Not very sure
- d. Uncertain

23. How did the object or objects disappear from view? UNKNOWN
"JUST DISAPPEARED"

24. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, we would like for you to imagine that you could construct the object that you saw. Of what type material would you make it? How large would it be, and what shape would it have? Describe in your own words a common object or objects which when placed up in the sky would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

"LOOKED LIKE THE NORTH STAR BUT
IT MOVED"

25. Where were you located when you saw the object? (Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. Outdoors
- d. In an airplane
- e. At sea
- f. Other _____

26. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- c. In open countryside?
- d. Flying near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other _____

27. What were you doing at the time you saw the object, and how did you happen to notice it?

SITTING IN FRONT YARD LOOKED
UP AND NOTICED IT

28. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

28.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

N/A

28.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

28.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

29. What direction were you looking when you first saw the object? (Circle One)

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

30. What direction were you looking when you last saw the object? (Circle One)

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

31. If you are familiar with bearing terms (angular direction), try to estimate the number of degrees the object was from true North and also the number of degrees it was upward from the horizon (elevation).

31.1 When it first appeared:

- a. From true North 112° degrees.
- b. From horizon 45° degrees.

31.2 When it disappeared:

- a. From true North 112° degrees.
- b. From horizon 45° degrees.

34. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

34.1 CLOUDS (Circle One)

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds
- e. Don't remember

34.2 WIND (Circle One)

- a. No wind
- b. Slight breeze
- c. Strong wind
- d. Don't remember

34.3 WEATHER (Circle One)

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

34.4 TEMPERATURE (Circle One)

- a. Cold
- b. Cool
- c. Warm
- d. Hot
- e. Don't remember

35. When did you report to some official that you had seen the object?

13 Aug 59
Day Month Year

AS SOON AS THEY
COULD REACH A TIC BY
PHONE

36. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

36.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One) Yes No

36.2 Please list their names and addresses:

MR. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] OHIO
MR. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] GERMANTOWN, OHIO

All agreed on the appearance of object.

37. Was this the first time that you had seen an object or objects like this?

(Circle One) Yes No

37.1 IF you answered NO, then when, where, and under what circumstances did you see other ones?

MRS. [REDACTED] SAW A SIMILAR OBJECT

APPROX. 2 YEARS AGO AT GERMANTOWN, OHIO.

SHE REPORTED IT THROUGH GROUND OBSERVER

CORPS CHANNELS

38. In your opinion what do you think the object was and what might have caused it?

MR. [REDACTED] WOULD NOT COMMENT
MR. [REDACTED] SUGGESTED THE POSSIBILITY
OF A WEATHER BALLOON.

39. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? _____ m.p.h.

40. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) Yes No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? _____ feet.

41. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME MRS. [REDACTED] Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Name _____

ADDRESS [REDACTED] Street _____ City _____ Zone 9 State OHIO

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]

What is your present job? WIFE OF A HOUSEWIFE EMPLOYED BY DAYTON POLICE !

Age 21 Sex Female

Please indicate any special educational training that you have had.

a. Grade school _____

b. High school

c. College _____

d. Post graduate _____

e. e. Technical school _____

(Type) _____

f. Other special training NURSING HAD GROUND OBSERVER CAPS

INSTRUCTION.

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| | |
|---|------------------------------|
| NAME _____ <small>(Please Print)</small> | (Do Not Write in This Space) |
| SIGNATURE _____ | CODE: _____ |
| DATE _____ | |

The SDO received the report by telephone. It was a joint report from both Mr and Mrs [REDACTED] although Mrs [REDACTED] did most of the talking. She kept emphasizing her reliability due to Ground Observer Corps experience and her husband's reliability due to employment with the Dayton Police Dept. Mrs [REDACTED] stated that they first called the WPAFB Operator and were referred to AT&C. Mr [REDACTED] claimed they first called "Civil Defense" and was given the phone number of AT&C. I asked my questions directly from AT&C Town 164. The number and content